

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

FILED

CASE SUMMARY

Case Number 07-00134Defendant Number 2

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U.S.A. v. James Ray HoustonYear of Birth unkn☒ Indictment☐ InformationInvestigative agency (FBI, DEA, etc.) IRS and Postal

NOTE: All items are to be completed. Information not applicable or unknown shall be indicated as "N/A".

OFFENSE/VENUE

- a. Offense charged as a: ☐ Petty Offense
☐ Misdemeanor ☐ Minor Offense ☒ Felony
- b. Date of offense 2001-July 2006
- c. County in which first offense occurred
LA
- d. The crimes charged are alleged to have been committed in:
 CHECK ALL THAT APPLY
☒ Los Angeles ☐ Ventura
☐ Orange ☐ Santa Barbara
☐ Riverside ☐ San Luis Obispo
☐ San Bernardino ☐ Other _____
- Citation of offense 18 USC 1341, 1956(a)(1)(A)(i)

RELATED CASE

Has an indictment or information involving this defendant and the same transaction or series of transactions been previously filed and dismissed before trial? ☒ No ☐ Yes

IF YES Case Number _____

Pursuant to Section 11 of General Order 224, criminal cases may be related if a previously filed indictment or information and the present case:

- a. arise out of the same conspiracy, common scheme, transaction, series of transactions or events; or
- b. involve one or more defendants in common, and would entail substantial duplication of labor in pretrial, trial or sentencing proceedings if heard by difference judges.

Related case(s), if any: **MUST MATCH NOTICE OF RELATED CASE** United States v. Henry Walther, No. CR 07-70-DDP

PREVIOUSLY FILED COMPLAINTA complaint was previously filed on: October 5, 2006Case Number 06-1760MCharging 18 USC 1341, 1343The complaint: ☒ is still pending☐ was dismissed on: _____**COMPLEX CASE**

Are there 8 or more defendants in the Indictment/Information?

☐ Yes*☒ No

Will more than 12 days be required to present government's evidence in the case-in-chief?

☐ Yes*☒ No

***AN ORIGINAL AND 3 COPIES OF THE NOTICE OF COMPLEX CASE MUST BE FILED 2 BUSINESS DAYS BEFORE THE ARRAIGNMENT IF EITHER YES BOX IS CHECKED.**

Superseding Indictment/InformationThis is the NA superseding charge, i.e. 1st, 2nd.

The superseding case was previously filed on:

NACase Number NA

The superseded case:

☐ is still pending before Judge/Magistrate JudgeNA☐ was previously dismissed on NA

Are there 8 or more defendants in the superseding case?

☐ Yes*☒ No

Will more than 12 days be required to present government's evidence in the case-in-chief?

☐ Yes*☒ No

Was a Notice of Complex Case filed on the Indictment or Information?

☐ Yes☒ No

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Is an interpreter required: ☐ Yes ☒ No

IF YES, list language and/or dialect:

NA

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OTHER

☒ Male ☐ Female
☒ U.S. Citizen ☐ Alien
 Alias Name(s) NA

 This defendant is charged in: ☒ All counts
☐ Only counts: _____
☐ This defendant is designated as "High Risk" per 18 USC 3146(a)(2) by the U.S. Attorney.
☐ This defendant is designated as "Special Case" per 18 USC 3166(b)(7).
 Is defendant a juvenile? ☐ Yes ☒ No
 IF YES, should matter be sealed? ☐ Yes ☒ No
 The area of substantive law that will be involved in this case includes:
☐ financial institution fraud ☐ public corruption
☐ government fraud ☐ tax offenses
☐ environmental issues ☒ mail/wire fraud
☐ narcotics offenses ☐ immigration offenses
☐ violent crimes/firearms ☐ corporate fraud
☐ Other: money laundering

CUSTODY STATUSDefendant is **not** in custody:

- a. Date and time of arrest on complaint: _____
 b. Posted bond at complaint level on: _____
 in the amount of \$ _____
 c. PSA supervision? ☐ Yes ☐ No
 d. Is a Fugitive ☒ Yes ☐ No
 e. Is on bail or release from another district: _____
 f. ☐ Has not been arrested but will be notified by summons to appear.
 g. Warrant requested. ☒ Yes ☐ No

Defendant is **in** custody:

- a. Place of incarceration: ☐ State ☐ Federal
 b. Name of Institution: _____
 c. If Federal: U.S. Marshal's Registration Number: _____
 d. ☐ Solely on this charge. Date and time of arrest: _____
 e. On another conviction: ☐ Yes ☐ No
 IF YES ☐ State ☐ Federal ☐ Writ of Issue
 f. Awaiting trial on other charges: ☐ Yes ☐ No
 IF YES ☐ State ☐ Federal AND
 Name of Court: _____

Date transferred to federal custody: _____

This person/proceeding is transferred from another district pursuant to F.R.CrP. ____ 20 ____ 21 ____ 400

EXCLUDABLE TIME

Determinations as to excludable time prior to filing indictment/information EXPLAIN: _____

Date February 27, 2007

Signature of Assistant U.S. Attorney

Ellyn Marcus Lindsay

Print Name